

RATE

2.375

These rates are good from October 1st 2016
to January 1st 2017

- **What does USDA Rural Development do?**
- Delivers a wide variety of loan and grant programs
- Essential Community Facilities—Only one of 43 funding programs delivered by local staff
- **Who does USDA Rural Development assist?**
- Communities with population of 20,000 or less
- Cities, Towns, Unincorporated areas
- Public Bodies, Indian Tribes, Nonprofit organizations

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JAWS OF LIFE!!

The image shows two firefighters in full protective gear, including helmets and gloves, using a hydraulic rescue tool (Jaws of Life) to cut into the roof of a car. The car is heavily damaged, and the firefighters are working to remove the roof to rescue anyone inside. The background is a blurred outdoor scene.

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POLICE

The image shows a dark-colored police car parked on a snowy street. The car has "POLICE" written on its side. In the background, there are other vehicles and buildings, suggesting a town or city setting. The ground is covered in snow, and the sky is overcast.

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Wahkiacus/ Klickitat Fire District #15

The image shows a collection of firefighting gear hanging on a wall. There are several yellow helmets on a shelf at the top. Below them, several fire jackets with reflective stripes are hanging. The gear is organized and ready for use.

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Spokane Tribe Emergency Services Building



LOW INTEREST DIRECT LOANS AND LIMITED GRANT FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR:

NEW CONSTRUCTION

REMODELING/RENOVATION

EQUIPMENT

EMERGENCY SERVICES EQUIPMENT SUCH AS AMBULANCES, SPECIALIZED LAB EQUIPMENT, FIRE AND RESCUE EQUIPMENT, ETC.



Facilities financed by Rural Development are:

- designed and constructed in accordance with sound engineering and architectural practices.
- must meet the requirements of Federal, State and local agencies.



Community Greenhouse on the Hoh Reservation



Future Community Center?



Kittitas Rodeo Seating



Kitchen Equipment at the Quileute Head Start



FISH!



Faith Community Center



YVCC Allied Health Center



Lummi Tribal Center



Kahlotus



Yes! We can fund these too



FISH again? Yep they are a soup kitchen too!



Sedro Wooley Ladder Truck



Squaxin Island Intertribal Center



Chelan Senior Center



Town of Concrete Community Garden



We can fund bridges!



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EMR


- EMR - Electronic Medical Records pilot
- Info available on website, handled by Steve and Joe who can give more detailed information.



Meeting the Needs of Rural Healthcare Through
Distance Learning and Telemedicine

Telemedicine Examples:

- Link clinics and hospitals with radiology specialists
- Provide diagnostic mobile PCs to rural communities
- Provide home health monitoring
- Link mobile health units and ambulances to local clinics and hospitals




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Distance Learning Examples:


- Connect schools to share teaching resources
- Share teaching resources between colleges
- Deliver specialized continuing education courses
- Offer technology and job training



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TEST TIME!


1. Who's eligible for assistance?
2. What kind of CF funding does RD provide?
3. What projects are not eligible?
4. What is the population limit?
5. When should you begin talking with an RD Specialist?
6. Why is a public meeting about your project so important?



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RD staff are ready to walk with you down the road to success.





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Only 66 Days until





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